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Victorious Army Which Shattered Germany's Dream In Nation's Capital Today

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17.—Over historic Pennsylvania Avenue, the American Way of Victory marked out more than fifty years ago by the returning blue clad legions of the Army of the Potomac, the first division, American Expeditionary Force, marched today. The parade started at one o'clock p. m., eastern time. It was Washington's first great parade of the war and it was conceived and carried out as the nation's tribute not alone to the veteran fighting men who marched, but to the whole great army the nation created to make certain the utter defeat of German dreams of world conquest.

Marching in mass formation and equipped with all the guns, gas throwers and countless other death-dealing devices of front line service, the First Division, fresh home from France, moved along the broad avenue, a living tide of sun-burned fighting manhood that filled the street from curb to curb. In their khaki and olive drab uniforms, the men swung by as resistlessly as the spring floods of the Mississippi. Above each solid block of infantry, rose the grim line of bayonets, the blue steel glinting dully as it caught the light. Farther back came the long lines of field guns, French "75's" to which French officers have said France owes her salvation and, after all the trains and wagons had rumbled by, came a battalion of tanks, streaked and yellowed with paint to conceal them from enemy eyes, but now growling and clanking their way behind the troops in noisy response to the cheers that greeted them.

There was nothing lacking to make the parade an epitome of the whole vast army American skill and indomitable will had created to meet and beat the enemy at his own game. There were guns of all the types used in France that could be moved through the streets. Machine guns, big and little, bristled among the riflemen; squad mortars to hurl bombs from the trenches; high mounted rifles which peered skyward as though still in search of enemy flyers. Some of the guns were horse-drawn, some trundled behind panting motor trucks or tractors. The show was as complete as the ingenuity of the War Department could make it, a cross section of the American Expeditionary Forces.

But it was to the lines of khaki-clad, brown faced men themselves that first interest of the thronging crowds all along the wide avenue turned. The home coming of this first unit of American man power to cross the submarine-infested seas was in marked contrast to its silent, mysterious, unreported departure, and the men and women along the way seemed to feel the significance of the spectacle. They recalled the days when the nation waited in wordless anxiety to hear that these same smiling, free-striding boys had come safely to a French harbor, those other days when the first word filtered back that the boys had begun to prove their courage in action and the slow coming lists that carried the names of the men who sleep forever in France.

To one regiment of long, trim "75's" an unusual honor was accorded. The Sixth Field Artillery was placed between the two infantry brigades instead of marching with the rest of the artillery brigade behind the infantry, for it was C battery of the Sixth which fired the first shot at the Germans on Oct. 23, 1917. A standard told the on lookers that at last they saw the very guns whose thunder had carried that first message of defeat into the enemy ranks.

Throughout the long line markers were frequent telling what the strange implements of war over which they floated were used for. Among the watchers were thousands upon thousands of government clerks who have dealt for months with endless streams of papers talking of bombs and guns and mortars, of motor machine shops, pontoons, bridges, machine guns, gas throwers, flame projectors and all the other complicated war equipment of the troops. Never before have these workers at home seen all these tools of warfare in their own warlike setting, however, and the parade was an education for them.

Up the avenue at the head of the division rode Major General Edward F. McGlachlin, commanding, and with him rode two former commanders of the division the first to go and the last of the divisions to come home. They were Major General William L. Sibert, who took it to France, and Lieutenant General Robert L. Bullard, who took it in to action and surrounded command only to take a higher post. Marching ahead of the formations, (Continued on Page Eight.)

THE PRESIDENT AT SAN FRANCISCO

ATTENDS LUNCHEON WITH THE LADIES; VISITS LELAND STANFORD AND WILL SPEAK TONIGHT.

By the Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17.—President Wilson arrived here at 9:30 today on a special ferryboat from the Oakland mole.

Governor W. D. Stephens of California and Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco, headed the reception committee that greeted President Wilson upon his arrival here for a five days' speaking engagement in the home of United States Senator Hiram W. Johnson, one of the chief opponents of the league of nations covenant.

The president will attend a luncheon today given by the associations of women's clubs where he will speak briefly. He afterwards plans to visit Leland Stanford University but will not address the students. His main address is tonight at the Civic Auditorium.

Pool's Grocery

Scene of Lively Bonds Debate

Attorney E. S. Ratliff announced by circulars yesterday afternoon that he would speak at Pool's grocery in north Ada at 8:30 in the evening on the question of the proposed bond issue.

Probably forty or fifty men of voting age, and nearly half that number of women and children, assembled at the grocery store at the appointed time to listen to the address.

Mr. Ratliff had documents with him which he asserted were the waterworks propositions submitted by the Johnson & Benham Engineering Co., and which he attacked on the ground of what he claimed was inconsistencies in the reports compared with the reports made by the same company in 1917, while he (Mr. Ratliff) was yet mayor of the city.

His opposition to the bonds was based almost entirely on the report of the engineers, rather than on the efficiency of the city commissioners. He stated in the outset that he intended to stay with the engineers' report.

Mr. Ratliff denied that there was a water shortage in the city; attacked the report of the engineers throughout; but in no instance did he oppose the sewer or park propositions.

After he had finished his discourse Attorney R. C. Roland asked to be heard and was granted the privilege. He detailed his familiarity with the growth of the city from its early inception; declared his loyalty to the city and made a strong appeal to the citizenship of the town to stand for the bond issue and all other progressive measures, the intent of which were to give the city an opportunity to grow and expand.

Roland was visibly in a hostile crowd, and the meeting was distinctly a Ratliff meeting. A case in point was the actions of J. P. Pool, proprietor of the grocery store where the meeting was held, who frequently interrupted Mr. Roland, and who stated that he was not connected with the water or sewer and furthermore didn't intend to be.

Mr. Roland informed the gathering that if that was the sentiment of the majority of the people that it was their duty to line up against the bond issue, go to the polls and vote against them and let the town go to hell where it belonged.

Mr. Ratliff made a heated rejoinder, after which the meeting closed. It is doubtful if any votes were changed either one way or the other as a result of the meeting.

REAR ADMIRAL ILLEGALLY DETAINED ON THE SHORE

By the Associated Press

PARIS, Sept. 17.—The latest official advices report the situation at Flume as without material change. Of the Italian sailors who landed in Flume only one hundred remained in the city, according to latest advices. It is announced, however, that Rear Admiral Casanova, who landed yesterday in an attempt to restore order, has been "illegally detained" on shore.

WHO WILL SPEND THE MONEY?

The money voted for public improvements tomorrow will be spent by the best talent of Ada. The two classes most vitally interested, the labor interests and the business interests, both will have representation on the committee that will supervise the work and direct the expenditure of the money.

From the beginning of this campaign there has been the heartiest co-operation between the city commissioners and the public. A committee representing the public gave the report of the engineers the most careful scrutiny. They eliminated every item that the city can get along without. They indorsed, after careful study, only such items as the city is sorely in need of. There is not an item in the proposed appropriation that has not been indorsed by the best talent of the city, after the most painstaking investigation. The commissioners have submitted to the public only what representatives of the public have already approved.

The public has co-operated with the commissioners at every step in the proceedings. The public will continue to co-operate till the last penny is spent. All the talent of the commissioners will be utilized in the expenditure of the money. That talent will be reinforced by the best talent of business and union labor. The argument that the money will be squandered is equivalent to saying that the commissioners are incompetent, that union labor is incompetent, and that the business interests of the city are incompetent.

If the labor organizations of Ada and the business interests of Ada do not have sufficient sense and honesty to supervise this work efficiently, then the city is indeed in a deplorable condition.

LIST OF STORM VICTIMS GROWS

BODIES NOW BEING RECOVERED ARE IN SUCH CONDITION THAT IDENTIFICATION IS IMPOSSIBLE.

By the Associated Press

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Sept. 17.—Fifteen additional storm victims were brought to the temporary morgue here early today, bringing the known death list in the city up to sixty-two, as a result of Sunday's hurricane. Forty-seven bodies had been recovered here up to last night. The total known dead now exceeds 160 according to reports received here.

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 17.—Rockport and Port Aransas suffered tremendous damage and require outside assistance immediately, according to delayed appeals from those cities received here today by Governor Hobby. Three lives were known to have been lost at Rockport and four at Port Aransas. The governor announced that a relief train will be started from Austin within the next few hours.

The appeals came to the governor in two telegrams dated 8 p. m., September 16, and said that 75 percent of the dwellings at Rockport had been completely wrecked and Port Aransas practically destroyed with half the people homeless.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Texas, Sept. 17.—The most reliable estimates later today placed the loss of life at Corpus Christi, Port Aransas and Aransas Pass at about 250. The bodies being recovered today are in such condition that identification will be almost impossible. A drenching rain began falling this morning and handicapped relief work and added suffering.

Statement from W. B. Jones.

To the citizens of Ada:

I have been informed that a certain citizen of this city (I don't mean Mr. Ratliff, for he is better informed) has made the statement publicly that I am not competent to take care of the office of Commissioner of Accounting and Finance because of the fact that I have never accumulated great riches. If this gentleman or anyone else interested will take a few minutes off tomorrow morning about 8 o'clock to come to my office before they vote, I will take pleasure in showing them the record, and if any one of them can show me wherein I have not kept a more complete record in compliance with the law than any of my predecessors, and held the expenditures within the estimate for the fiscal year as the law requires, I agree to resign.

This statement is not made to influence any one's vote on the proposed bond issue, but in justice to myself.

Very truly,

W. B. JONES, Commr. Acctg. & Finance.

A DOCTOR HELD FOR RANSOM IS LIBERATED

JUAREZ, Mex., Sept. 17.—Dr. J. W. Smith, an American physician for the Potosi Mining Co., in Chihuahua, reached Chihuahua City late yesterday after having been liberated by Villa soldiers who were holding him for a six thousand dollar ransom, according to a message today to American Consul, Dow.

CONSTITUTION DAY OBSERVED AT NORMAL

Today is "Constitution Day" at East Central State Normal, the chapel hour this morning having been set aside to celebrate the signing of the Federal Constitution 132 years ago.

In the presence of the faculty and student body Dr. R. G. Sears delivered a scholarly and able address on the constitution and entertained the audience with a review of the struggle of Americans for freedom and constitutional government. A delightful reading was given by Mrs. M. L. Perkins, and several patriotic songs were given by the audience.

From the flag staff on the normal building there is floating today the same flag that floated above the national capitol at Washington when congress declared war on Germany in 1917. This flag was presented to the normal by Congressman Tom D. McKeown in 1918.

BULGARIAN PEACE TREATY DEFINITELY ADOPTED

By the Associated Press

PARIS, Sept. 17.—The supreme council of the peace conference has definitely adopted the Bulgarian peace treaty which will be delivered to the Bulgarian delegation Friday morning.

SEMINOLE MAN ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

By News Special Service

WEWOKA, Okla., Sept. 17.—The trial of Joe M. Grisso of Seminole began here yesterday before Judge Bolen in district court. Grisso is charged with killing Jno. Grisco, a banker at Seminole last March.

It seems that trouble had arisen between the two men on account of the alleged intimate relation between Grisco and Grisso's wife. Grisco had just paid Grisso several thousand dollars to settle the matter the afternoon before the killing occurred. After taking the money Grisso hid near the Briscoe home and when the banker drove up in the darkness he was riddled with buck shot.

The prosecution is being conducted by County Attorney Cobb, W. J. Crump of Muskogee, W. A. Bishop of Seminole, and Al Nichols of Wewoka. The defendant is represented by Pryor & Stokes of Wewoka and T. O. Criswell of Seminole. The defense is pleading temporary insanity.

Mrs. Eastman and two children, who have been the guests for several days of Mrs. Eastman's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore, 219 West 16th., returned to their home in Oklahoma City yesterday.

Free Cars for Voters

Free cars will be at the service of voters tomorrow. Any person who desires to ride to the polls is requested to call telephone No. 73. The cars will be parked in front of the office of the Ada Title & Trust Company on South Townsend.

Voters, do not be backward about calling for a car. They will be on hand for your convenience.

The ladies who vote are especially urged to take advantage of this offer.

Any citizen who will furnish a car is requested to be on hand early.

What's the Matter With the Engineers Who Made Our Waterworks Plans?

Home Labor Specified.

The contract for the public improvements contemplated in tomorrow's election specifies that home labor shall be used in all the work till the supply of such home labor is exhausted. This is imperative. The story being circulated to the effect that foreign labor would be employed is altogether unfounded.

Proposed Strike In Steel Circles Still Foreboding

By the Associated Press

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 17.—The national committee for the organization of iron and steel workers went into session here shortly before noon today to take definite action on the matter of postponement of the strike of iron and steel workers called for Sept. 22.

Before going into the meeting, John Fitzpatrick of Chicago, chairman of the national committee, said that unless there was a last minute telegram from Elbert H. Gery, chairman of the board of the United States Steel Corporation, no postponement of the strike would be considered. Fitzpatrick said that the men were fully organized and prepared to walk out on next Monday.

The meeting of the national committee was called principally to make preparations for the proposed strike. At two o'clock this afternoon the national committee of the steel workers took a recess until four o'clock. No announcement was given out after the meeting. Chairman Fitzpatrick, when asked concerning the postponement of the strike, said that the thought of such an act "was a dream."

It was reported that a telegram had been sent to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, asking him to attend the meeting of the national committee here this afternoon. Labor leaders refused to discuss the report.

The Carnegie Steel Co. gave out a letter from E. H. Gery, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, advising the presidents of the subsidiary companies, stating that the corporation does not combat labor unions as such and that it does not negotiate with the unions because it would indicate the closing of the shops against non-union labor.

MICKIE SAYS

(VOICE) YES, I'VE SOLD OUT, BUT DON'T SAY ANYTHING ABOUT IT FOR TWO OR THREE WEEKS.

WAIT 'TILL EVERYBODY IN TOWN KNOWS ABOUT IT? SAY, WHAT DO YA THINK WE'RE GETTIN' OUT-AN ALMANAC?



WEATHER FORECAST

Cloudy in eastern portion tonight and Thursday. Rain in western and central part.

J. C. Braly of Kansas City, Mo., who underwent an appendicitis operation at that place a little more than two weeks ago, arrived here today to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon A. Braly, and daughters, 123 West Thirteenth, until he recovers more fully from the operation.

The champion opponents of the bond issue for waterworks to be voted on tomorrow seem to be absolutely without an issue. We have heard practically all the opposition there is and invariably the fight is on the engineers who made the plans for the proposed system.

They can't find any reason for fighting the bonds, so they saddle the whole load onto the poor engineers who made the plans.

They as good as insinuate that the engineers are incompetent.

In view of that fact the News is going to give you a little bit of history concerning the Johnson & Benham Engineering Co.

We want to give you a list of the concerns, including the United States government, for which they have worked.

After reading this list, and the record of the Johnson & Benham Engineering Co., tell us if you believe these men are not capable of designing and constructing a little waterworks system for a little city the size of Ada!

The Organization.

Colonel George A. Johnson and Major Webster L. Benham have formed a partnership for a general consulting engineering business under the firm name of Johnson & Benham, consulting engineers, with offices at 150 Nassau street, New York, and Firestone Building, Kansas City, Mo.

Colonel Johnson is still in the service of the United States but anticipates discharge in the fall. He was originally officer in charge of water supply and sewers in the utilities branch of the construction division of the army. Later he succeeded to the position he now occupies as second in command of this branch which has sole jurisdiction over the water supply, sewers, sewage disposal, electric light and power, ice and refrigeration, heating, highways, railroads, buildings, fire departments and systems in several hundred military establishments in the United States and dependencies. Prior to Colonel Johnson's entrance into the service he was engaged in a consulting engineering practice at 150 Nassau St., New York City.

Major Benham was discharged from the service on May 1st, 1919, having served with the construction division of the army since October, 1917, as officer in charge of utilities and construction quartermaster at Camp Funston, Kansas. Later he was promoted to regional supervising utilities officer for camps in the middle west and south in addition to his other duties, and on March 24, 1919, was ordered to Washington as assistant to the chief of the construction division Prior to his entrance into the army he was president and chief engineer of the Benham Engineering Company, Consulting Engineers, Oklahoma City, Okla.

The new firm will handle the design, estimates, supervision of construction, maintenance and operation; water supply and purification; sewerage and sewage disposal investigation of epidemics; electric light; heat, power, refrigeration systems, water power development; roads and pavements reports and appraisals; public utilities management.

Until Colonel Johnson leaves the service, Major Benham will be the active head of the firm.

Professional Record—Johnson. September, 1895 to February, 1898.—Junior member of staff of experts investigating methods of purifying the Ohio river water in connection with the improved water supply projects at Louisville, Kentucky.

March, 1898 to February, 1899.—Assistant bacteriologist to the commissioner of water works, Cincinnati, Ohio, on preliminary investigations of a character similar to those conducted at Louisville.

March, 1899 to July, 1899.—Operation and investigation of water purification works at York, Pennsylvania and Norfolk, Virginia.

July, 1899 to October, 1899.—Assistant engineer, George W. Fuller, Consulting Engineer, 220 Broadway, New York.

November, 1899 to March, 1900.—Bacteriologist, equestrian department, United States government, conducting preliminary investigations on purification of the Potomac river water for the City of Washington, D. C.

March, 1900 to December, 1900.—Associate Director of a special city department of St. Louis, Missouri, investigating effect of the Chicago drainage canal upon the water supply of St. Louis.

January, 1901 to June, 1901.—Assistant Engineer, Hering & Fuller, Consulting Engineers, 100 William street, New York.

June, 1901 to March, 1902.—Resident Engineer, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, representing Hering & Fuller.

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In the Kindergarten Class



A small boy, newly arrived at the dignity of pants, and a little girl in her new fall coat for school wear, invite the attention of interested mothers. These are children in the kindergarten stage and they are well clothed in the simple and good-looking things that are pictured here.

There is hardly a season which enters lacking light woolen coats in black-and-white checks for girls and misses. This one, for a little lady of four years or so, is cut to flare and is knee length. It has large patch pockets, with pointed flaps, that support handsome buttons, and a shawl collar of the checked material. The buttons are the special pride and glory of this coat and three of them serve to fasten it at the front. They are black with a ring of white, to match them to the coat. The over collar and straight cuffs of white pique which lend so much snowy freshness to this smart little coat are, of course, detachable, so that they may be kept clean, and several sets of them take their turn at service while their fellows go to the tub.

The entire suit worn by the little lad is washable. The waist and pants are designed with an eye to easy

If Treaty of Peace Is Signed, Murder Will Be Minimized Says Harrison

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—It is not often within the span of one day congress can furnish not only one of the best nutshell arguments for the league of nations as insurance for a permanent world peace, but also evidence to make an American's heart beat faster through pride in his nation's achievements in the conflict to make further world upheavals impossible.

Senator Harrison of Mississippi furnished the first, and the eulogies on the American navy, delivered while the house of representatives was passing the bill conferring the rank of full admiral on Rear Admirals William S. Sims and William S. Benson was the second.

"If the treaty of peace, with the league of nations covenant included shall be adopted," said Senator Harrison, "the merciless murder of men will be minimized, the wanton destruction of property stopped, the heavy burdens of enormous taxation lightened, and the stability, peace and happiness of the world made secure."

"I am strengthened in that conviction when I recall that the total battle deaths of all nations in this war were greater than all deaths in all the wars of the previous 100 years."

"The total battle deaths amounted to 7,450,000."

"From 1739 to 1914 the battle deaths amounted to 6,000,000."

"The American battle losses in this war were 50,000 killed and 236,000 wounded."

"The Russian battle losses were 34 times greater, the German losses 32 times greater, the French 28 times greater, and the British losses 18 times greater than those of the United States."

"The direct cost of the war to the United States up to the end of April, 1919, amounted to \$21,500,000,000."

"The figure is 20 times the pre-war national debt. It would have paid the entire cost of our government from 1791 up to the outbreak of the war."

"Our expenditure in this war was sufficient to have carried on the Revolutionary war continuously for more than 1,000 years at the rate of expenditure which that war actually involved."

"From April, 1917, to April, 1918, the war cost the United States more than \$1,000 an hour."

"Treasury disbursements during aht period reached a total of \$23,500,000,000."

"The pay of the army during the war cost more than the combined salaries of all the public school

tasks as those which confronted our navy in the spring of 1917? And when in all history have problems only approaching them been solved with such complete success?"

"The magnitude of the numbers to be transported across the danger-infested ocean presented a situation unknown in any war, ancient or modern, a problem so difficult that the German high command considered it utterly impossible; and yet the American navy, bidding defiance to its enemies, accomplished the impossible. One million men sent across in American ships with 4,000,000 to 6,000,000 to follow if the call had come. How many were lost? Of all that mighty host who sailed under the American flag not a man—to the everlasting glory of the navy—not a man was lost."

"And how did the navy respond in the hour of need? On foreign soil, by co-operating with the British fleet in perfect harmony, united with them in strength as well as in purpose; constructing across the tempestuous North sea waters 350 to 1,050 feet in depth, the greatest mine barrage ever conceived, considered by many too chimerical to be within the range of possibility; laying a pipe line across Scotland, 137 miles in length; erecting 33 air stations and equipping them with barracks and shops, furnishing the army the heaviest mobile guns on the line; building hospitals and docks; constructing storehouses, perfecting systems to detect submarines and devising methods to overcome them. But, above all, bringing to our struggling allies the hope and confidence inspired by the moral as well as physical force of a nation that marshalled its full power of blood and treasure and sacrifice for the single purpose of victory."

"These were the deeds of the navy to be passed down, unstained heritages for those who come after. Where in all the conflicts of the human race—where is there a record that will compare with this?"

Incidentally, the representatives in the course of the one-sided debate revealed that fact that Benson and Sims would receive \$13,000 in pay, whereas their British associates of equal rank are given \$50,000 a year.

Mosquito Bites

Just as soon as you feel the effect of the Malarial Germs after being bitten by Malarial Mosquitoes, it is advisable to take GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC to destroy the Germs and remove the Impurities. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

HART NEWS.

Corn gathering seems to be the go this week.

Our school closed Friday, and will not begin until the cotton picking season is over.

Roy Lewis and wife visited relatives in Pauls Valley, Sunday.

Otis Duty is hunting a good Ford car.

Miss Minnie Ussery of Roff, spent Sunday night with Miss Zettie McKnight.

Miss Eva Watson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Mamie Practor.

Mrs. Rogers was the Saturday afternoon guest of Mrs. Brooks.

Otis Duty and Truby Posey spent Sunday afternoon with Allen Practor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Austin and children were guests at the home of Mrs. Austin's mother, Mrs. McKnight and family, Sunday afternoon.

A few of the young folks attended singing at Walnut Grove Sunday night.

MAN CAN DO MANY THINGS AT ONCE BY CONCENTRATING HIS WILL POWER SAYS JAP STAR

The average man does not concentrate more than one-fifth of his faculties while doing the ordinary things of life, and therefore is capable of doing four or five things at one time, according to Tameo Kajiyama who is astonishing audiences with his powers of concentration and his ability at handwriting at one of the local theaters.

Mr. Kajiyama started his career as an expert penman, writing backwards and forwards, and all other ways, about nine years ago. A few years later the idea to write with both hands, and also carry on a conversation was suggested to him, and without much further practice he found that he was able to do it.

"It seems," he said in explaining his ability, "that when one puts forth a great effort he increases his will power, which in turn enables him to put forth a still greater effort and since one does not use all his attention at doing one of the ordinary things of life, it requires only a greater effort and the exertion of a trained will power to do a number of things at one time."

He has been doing this complicated work consisting of writing words up-side-down from right to left,

COMMUNITY STORE TO BE ORGANIZED

FARMERS AND LABORERS TO GO INTO BUSINESS IN EFFORT TO REDUCE COST OF LIVING.

A co-operative store to deal in everything, will be organized in Ada, work on which has already commenced. The store will deal only in groceries at first but as fast as stock can be sold other lines will be added until the store handles everything. The capital stock of the concern will be \$25,000, which will later be raised to \$250,000. Shares will be \$6 each, no person being allowed to purchase more than 20 shares or less than five shares. Shares will be sold on weekly payment plan.

The decision to organize the store was made Tuesday night at a mass meeting of farmers and laborers at the Moose hall. The call for the meeting was issued by N. S. Kiersey of the Santa Fe railroad, and a large crowd of citizens who are disgusted with the high cost of living were present to voice their protest and join the concern. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Kiersey, who introduced Mr. C. L. McNutt, Mr. McNutt outlined the plan of the proposed company, at the close of whose address the decision to organize the store was made. Several hundred dollars worth of stock in the corporation was subscribed Tuesday night and the officers elected were ordered to proceed with the sale until sufficient stock to begin operations was subscribed. It is expected the grocery part of the store will be ready to begin operations by the first of October.

The temporary officers of the organization elected last night are as follows: M. L. Chambers, president; J. P. Orr of the Katy, vice-president; N. S. Kiersey of the Santa Fe, secretary and treasurer; A. W. Smith of the Frisco and C. L. McNutt, directors. Mr. McNutt will give his entire time to the placing of the stock and getting the store under headway.

The new store will operate on the plan of the Co-Operative stores at Durcell, Centralia, Wash., and Twin Falls, Idaho. Permanent officers and managers will be selected when the corporation is completed. Goods will be on sale as in other stores in the city. Stockholders will be charged the same price for goods as non-stockholders, but at the end of each month the stockholder will be granted a rebate, this depending on the amount of goods he has purchased during the month and the amount of stock he holds. It is said that in many instances men in these companies make their entire grocery bills in rebates and in practically all cases they get their goods at cost. Extensive advertising will be done by the corporation and with the hundreds of laborers and farmers interested in the store it will likely make itself felt in Ada in a short time.

"He Made Good."

The story had reached the front office that Captain Cline had just dropped dead on Main Street and the "Cub" was hurried out to get the details. He soon returned and after some hours intense work turned in the following write-up:

"This morning as Captain J. L. Cline and Judge Cragin were passing the Hatfield residence at the corner of Fifth and Main, the Captain suddenly remarked to the Judge: 'I believe I am going to die,' and backing up against the picket fence he made good."

Exempted for Reason.

When parliament of the commonwealth of Australia enacted a law some years ago prohibiting the employment of Asiatic and native island laborers in that country, the crews, divers and other workers in the pearl industry at Broome were Malays and Japanese. More than 1,500 Japanese were employed in the pearl-fishing fleets. For a time it was feared that the new law would destroy the industry, but no attempt was made to enforce the law.

Knew What He Meant.

My three year old boy noticed all the others on leaving the party speak to their hostess, so when his turn came he looked up with a most engaging smile and said, "Haven't we had a terrible time?"—Exchange.

Let a Want Ad sell it for you.

ICE and COAL

Southern Ice & Utilities Co.
A. MARSHALL, Manager

Let a Want Ad sell it for you.

Early Fall Garden Products Are Here, if Anywhere

It is a safe guess that if fresh vegetables can be found in the city we have them. It is the policy of this store to keep in the forefront with all the good things to eat, both rare and commonplace.

We have—

- CELERY
- PEAS
- PEPPERS
- FRUITS

Apples, Bananas, Oranges, Grapes, Lemons, etc.

TEXAS HONEY

Have received a new shipment of Texas Honey, per pound, 35c.

Home-made Sorghum Molasses, per gal., \$1.15
New Sweet Potatoes, per peck, 65c.

SCHOOL LUNCHES

We have everything for school lunches—Boiled Ham, Minced Ham, Sunshine Cookies, Fruits and Candies.

OUR MEAT MARKET

—offers you the best meat service in Ada. Everything in Fresh and Cured Meats.

On Saturday morning we will have dressed hens, selected by us for their quality and condition.

Complete line of Feeds and Alfalfa and Prairie Hay.

Stanfield's
GROCERY-MARKET

OUR SERVICE IS UNEQUALLED

We have three phones and four delivery wagons

LET THE PUBLIC BE PLEASED ???

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE		
OKLAHOMA STATE BANK		
ADA, OKLAHOMA		
At Close of Business September 12, 1919		
RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts	735,573.33	
Bonds and Warrants	285.72	
Bank Building and Fixtures	18,000.00	
Other Real Estate	17.71	
Securities with Banking Board	6,500.00	
Bills of Exchange (Cotton)	6,840.68	
Liberty Bonds	41,250.00	
Cash and Sight Exchange	181,516.18	
Cash and Sight Exchange	181,516.18	
TOTAL	\$989,983.62	
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock	50,000.00	
Surplus and Undivided Profits	29,742.64	
Customers Bonds	1,950.00	
Notes Rediscounted	78,196.87	
Bills Payable	25,000.00	
Deposits	805,094.11	
TOTAL	\$989,983.62	
The above statement is correct.		
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THE TOWN GOSSIP

By MILTON LESTER

HIS FOLKS live
OUT IN the country.
AND BY skimping,
AND SAVING,
THEY MANAGED
TO GET enough money.
TO SEND the boy
TO THE University.
AND HE left there
IN RATHER shabby clothes.
AND CALLED his folks.
"MAW AND Paw."
AND A couple of days
BEFORE CHRISTMAS.
HE CAME home.
FOR THE holidays.
ALL DOLLED up
IN A new suit.
WITH A belt on it.
AND A dinky hat.
AND HE said.
HE WAS awfully glad to see.
"MAMMAH AND Pappah."
AND HE wore
A WRIST watch.

AND WHEN he was asked.
TO TELL them the time.
HE'D SAY:
"IT'S HAALF paast six."
AND THE old man.
STOOD IT for a few days.
BUT FINALLY he took the boy.
OUT BEHIND the barn.
AND HE said:
"LET ME tell you, son.
"YOUR MAW and me.
"HAVE SCRAPPED hard.
"TO SEND you to college.
"AND I reckon.
"IT'S DOING you good.
"AND I don't mind.
"THIS MAMMAH and Pappah.
"NOR THIS haalf paast six.
"NOR OTHER things.
"BUT I warn you.
"IF I ever catch you wearing lace.
"AT THE bottom of your trousers.
"I'M GOING
"TO KNOCK H— out of you."
I THANK you.

Milburn News: Judging from the way the Americans are complaining one might conclude we lost the war instead of having won it.

Giant Super-Circus Is True To Dapple Gray



The Largest and Smallest Equines With Great New Circus

In recent years there has been much talk of the "motorized" circus. In one or two instances very small shows have made limited tours on auto trucks. But the older heads in the circus world have never taken kindly to the idea. They argue that it is the "primitiveness" of method still maintained in transporting the show equipment from the railroad yards to the "lot," in erecting the great stretches of canvas or taking them down again, that renders the circus so fascinating. In other words—that the great teams of splendid horses are as much a part of the show as the clowns or the elephants.

One of the functions of the circus has always been to use the horse and present him to view, either trained to the height of equine intelligence or broken to the pole of the red wagons. Years ago Ringling Brothers started out with a youthful attempt at a circus and a concert. They had just one solitary horse. As time went on they acquired hundreds. At a remote date P. T. Barnum boasted a beautiful pony among the many wonders of his New York Museum. Subsequently, he too, became possessed of many and splendid equines. These were, in time, joined with those of James A. Bailey in the

great Barnum & Bailey, circus performer, who has retained the spirit and the suppleness of youth. In the great new Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Combined Shows are several aerialists between forty and fifty years old. While this is not by any means an "advanced" age how many laymen are there of as many years who can even so much as run for a street car without panting for breath? Psychologists who have made a study of the circus and its people state that continuous practice is not the only thing that keeps the performers youthful. Light-heartedness, the merry games in which they enter into between shows and the atmosphere of pure fun and play that at all times attends them is, so the students say, responsible for their wonderful physical condition.

What is undoubtedly the greatest galaxy of arenic stars that have ever been assembled on one program is now touring America as a result of the combining of this country's two most famous circuses. Aside from the entertainment furnished by these hundreds of darling artists it is said to be worth much to watch them from a purely physical culture viewpoint. The mammoth super-circus with its many wonders is to exhibit here Wednesday, September 24.

It Is Still Impossible To Estimate the Damage Wrought by Tropical Storm

By the Associated Press
CORPUS CHRISTI, Sept. 17.—Today, more than seventy hours after the tropical hurricane and tidal wave struck the Texas coast, it was still impossible to estimate with any degree of accuracy the loss of life or the damage to property.

Each report from searching parties pointed steadily toward the increasing magnitude of the disaster. It was believed that it might be a week or more before the full extent was known.

The great piles of wreckage from one end of the city to another are believed to conceal bodies, and today hundreds of men were at work exploring them.

Officials generally were agreed that the death list would be in excess of one hundred, and some unofficial estimates placed the total between two and three hundred, with hundreds of persons injured or suffering from exposure. Estimates of the property loss vary from ten million to fifteen million dollars.

The best available information here today places the known dead in Corpus Christi at forty-seven. Seventy-seven bodies, all blackened and bruised, were reported to have been washed ashore last night on the north side of the bay. Of these seventy-seven bodies the report said that thirty-eight were taken from west Portland; twenty-nine from White Point; nine from Sinton and one from Odem. Other points also reported the washing ashore of bodies during the night, according to information received here.

During the night officers were exerting every effort to ascertain the fate of twenty or more soldiers who were washed out into the bay when the storm was at its height, and of whom no trace has been found. The men were members of

Company 1 of the 37th Infantry on border duty, but were resting at the government camp here on a weekend furlough when the camp was washed away.

Few Large Rubies Known

Unlike the diamond and emerald, rubies of large size are exceedingly rare, but mention has been made of a few in the works of Marco Polo, Mandeville and other travelers in the Orient, which may be believed or not by present-day readers as the great gems to which they refer have all been lost to sight for centuries, unless they are stored away among the secret treasures of Persia, Burma or China.

Where He Got the Name

The first bulldog appears to have been bred from the English mastiff, and by process of systematic selection in breeding a smaller and more active dog than the mastiff was evolved. The smaller dog was found to be better suited for sport than the heavier and slower mastiff. The bull-baiting dog, without a doubt, required an inordinate amount of gameness.

Plants That Feed on Animals

That such plants as "Venus flytrap" actually catch and squeeze to death flies and other insects alighting on their leaves has long been known, but the discovery is comparatively recent that the plants digest the softer parts of their prey by means of peptic ferment secreted by the leaves. These are real instances of plants feeding upon animals.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

Life

The simple lass.
The broken working man.
When life entered the door.
Only a gutter bum.
The woman who knew no shame.

By W. Alexander Imlay

She was only a simple girl from the country. She entered the big city in the hope of earning enough money to give her the clothing of the fashion plate ladies and movie queens. Perhaps she came with the intent of making herself useful in the world.

She got a job. It was work, if that constitutes a job? She slaved nine hours a day behind a counter or possibly she stacked matches in boxes—no matter she got the job.

And the salary, magnificent—\$10 a week. The clerks in Perkins' store back home only got \$6 but then she was ignorant as yet you see.

So she drifted along until one fine night she found herself hanging over the railing of the river bridge, pocketbook empty, hungry—contemplating a leap from the bridge—or worse.

Then there is the working man. He knows no trade for he grew up in untrammelled America where one is permitted to do as he pleases. An indulgent father had not insisted on him learning anything useful. His mother upheld him in idleness.

Possibly the father went broke. Possibly he never had anything. At least we find our hero at forty, discouraged, knowing no trade, on the bum.

A bad season strikes his section of the country. He has no money, no friends. Then we find him—where?

Riding the reds to a better land, in jail and out, a knight of the cinder trail.

The poor man comes one dreary night to a cold home. He is out of work. He knows no friends. His children are huddled around a stove in which the last embers are dying. A small girl of four weeps for food.

A mother in the next room—there are two rooms—lies in a bed of old blankets and ragged great coats. She is moaning in pain.

A little life is to come into the world before many hours have passed. There is no doctor, no provisions. There is no fire, no light.

In despair the man goes into the night stumbling against the cold wind seeking assistance in his trouble.

There is a gutter bum who has no knowledge of how loathsome he really is. Drunken, abused, kicked and cuffed he dodges all human beings.

Like a trounced dog he avoids people yet he must seek them. At last he decides that he is down and out. He goes down the street with longing in his heart. He longs to tell some one how he despises self.

He has reached the turning point. Will some one hold out a hand?

Ha! ha! he laughs. He knows the world.

Then there is the woman without shame. Christ had compassion on her kind but she has come to think that no one else had. Harpy like she plies her way about the streets of the great city.

Her cheeks are incarnadine. Her soul is as red as her painted lips. Her eyes are as full of guile as the misshapen mind.

Unloved, much caressed, hunted, a prey upon society she comes to the last step down, then she finds gold in her heart. Does anyone else find it?

So they run through the annals of life. But here is what happened.

The simple girl went to a clean boarding house and after a few years made good. She blossomed into a flower of pure womanhood.

The workingman went to working man's hostel. He was given shelter and clothing with food as the lowly Nazarene commanded. He learned a trade and became useful. He became a producer.

The poor man sent his wife to a maternity home where she received good care. His children were sent food, clothing and fuel.

The gutter bum was offered a chance at self rehabilitation. He made good. He quit drink, got a job and was useful.

The harpy was sent to a rescue home and became a woman. She who was old only in experience again learned the simple love of a child. She was saved for the world.

Each was saved through the Salvation Army and its organizations for mankind.

Let a Want Ad get it for you.

27 Cents, Value of Dollar Today Account of H.C.L.

By News' Special Service

Chicago, Sept. 15.—The American dollar is worth but twenty-seven cents today. Professor William F. Ogburn, of Columbia University, placed this valuation on the American dollar today while testifying for the stockyards employees at the wage hearing before Federal Judge Alschuler.

Since before the war the cost of living in the U. S. has increased

thirty-six per cent, Professor Ogburn testified, "I base my statement on careful investigation."

From June 1, 1918, to the latter part of August, 1919, the cost of living went up 96 per cent. During the same period of time I found that wholesale prices went up 6 per cent.

"There is now a considerable slow starvation in the U. S. resulting from undernourishment," Professor Ogburn declared.

THE RUMANIAN ARMY NOW WITHDRAWS FROM BUDAPEST

By the Associated Press
BUDAPEST, Sept. 16.—The Rumanian army has begun to withdraw from Budapest, a strong movement of trains being in progress. It is believed that the retirement will be completed within a fortnight.



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"WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR?"

There are hundreds and hundreds of people in Ada who have all the seasons an adequate supply of water. During the hardest freeze of winter the water mains supplying their homes never freeze up because the mains are deep-laid and well protected.

Elsewhere in the city there are hundreds and hundreds of people who have an inadequate supply of water. They live remote from the biggest mains. They live farthest from the source of supply. The mains along their streets are exposed to the weather and freeze up when the blizzards come. During the long days of summer when the skies turn yellow with heat their lawns and gardens burn up and they have water only part of each day.

These latter are citizens of Ada. They pay their part of the taxes to support the water system of the city. The water may come or it may not, but their taxes must be paid just the same. They are paying annually thousands of dollars for the service they do not get. They help pay for the water that goes to the favored section where the supply never fails. They pay as much as anybody and get less than anybody else.

Every citizen owes a duty to himself. He also owes a duty to his neighbor. So long as that neighbor is helping him to pay for adequate service, he should be willing to help his neighbor get adequate service. If he is a real man, he will help his neighbor. It is a duty he cannot escape. Every citizen of Ada, regardless of his rank or station or wealth or possession is entitled to the same consideration that other citizens receive.

How would you like to pay taxes to insure water for your neighbor and not get any water yourself?

WHO CAN VOTE?

Who can vote in tomorrow's election is the question being asked all over Ada just now. The law is plain on this subject and there is no doubt as to what it means.

The Constitution of Oklahoma provides in Section 27 of Article X: "Any incorporated city or town in this state may by a majority of the Qualified Taxpaying Voters of such city or town voting at an election held for that purpose, be allowed to become indebted in a larger amount than that specified in Section 26, for the purpose of purchasing or constructing public utilities, etc."

In defining the meaning of the words "qualified taxpaying voters" as used in the constitution of the legislature by statutory enactment says that any qualified taxpaying voter is "any legal voter who has paid taxes during the last year preceding the election." This means that any legal voter in Ada who paid taxes during the past fiscal year can vote in tomorrow's election. If such legal voter has not paid taxes during the past fiscal year, he cannot vote.

The above rule applies to men and women alike. If a woman is registered and has paid taxes, she can vote. Otherwise she cannot vote.

Last week we referred to the speech of Bourke Cochran urging the defeat of the league of nations that America might assist Ireland in winning her freedom from Great Britain. This week James J. McGraw resigned from the League to Enforce Peace, and denounced the league of nations. Bourke Cochran and Jim McGraw are of the same racial extraction and are governed by the same motives. They do not want world peace. They want war. Bourke Cochran has courageously declared that he wants this nation to assist in freeing Ireland. Jim McGraw wants the same thing, but has not the manhood or the courage to say so.

It does not pay to talk about your neighbor. For instance, mobs were battling with machine guns in the streets of Boston before the ink had dried on the Boston papers that denounced the whole state of Tennessee because Robin Cooper had been murdered at Nashville.

Now congress declares by resolution duly adopted that Tom Blanton had falsified the Congressional Record. So that is what's the matter!

"Lloyd George is after the kaiser."—Headline. L. George had better be careful or Senator Knox will denounce his cruelty to the Germans.

Oklahoma never was a zoological garden of cranks. Still we have editors with Ford-car brains criticizing the egotism of President Wilson.

SAMPLE BALLOT

SPECIAL ELECTION

Held on the 18th Day of September, 1919, in
the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma

WARD NUMBER FOUR

PROPOSITION NO. 1.

Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to enlarge and improve the present Water Works System, owned by said city, by acquiring the necessary material and doing the necessary work of installing additional water mains and water works facilities, to be used as a public utility and to be owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty-five years from their date.

☐ FOR THE BONDS☐ AGAINST THE BONDS

PROPOSITION NO. 2.

Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of providing funds for the construction of Sanitary Sewer Mains and Sub-Mains and Storm Sewers and Sewage Disposal Plant for the use of said city as public utilities, to be owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty-five years from their date.

☐ FOR THE BONDS☐ AGAINST THE BONDS

PROPOSITION NO. 3.

Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of Ten Thousand Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to improve Park Site to be used as a public utility and owned exclusively by said city and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty-five years from their date.

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If the voter desires to vote for the proposition, he or she should stamp an "X" in the first square above; if he or she desires to vote against the proposition, he or she should stamp an "X" in the second square above.)

BOLEN FAVORS THE BONDS

Wewoka, Okla., Sept. 17, 1919.

The Ada Evening News,
Ada, Oklahoma.

Gentlemen:

Will you please state in your columns that I am detained here in Wewoka in the trial of a murder case and will for that reason be unable to be in Ada tomorrow to vote in the bond election.

You may state that I am heartily in favor of the bonds and feel sure that the progressive citizens of Ada will see that the bonds carry by a big majority. I hope that my friends in Ada will rally to the support of the bonds and vote for them to a man.

I regret very much that I am detained here by official business and cannot cast a vote for the bond issue tomorrow.

Very truly,
J. W. BOLEN.

Pauls Valley Enterprise: School opens Monday, although the prospects for a complete set of books is not good. There will be enough to start with, however. Many people are led to wonder why these text book adoptions could not be made a few months before time to become effective and thus save thousands of dollars and much valuable time. Lots of schools are now running

though they have practically no books, and consequently the money being spent is practically wasted. A little more system in these adoptions would pay in every respect.

Mrs. T. H. Granger and little son left this afternoon for a few days visit to Mrs. Granger's sister, Mrs. P. B. Halmer, at Roff.

New Produce
Arrived Today

We have just received a fine shipment of—

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The State Press

Chickasha Express: If a brain test were required as a requisite for drivers' license some speeders would be in the noodle house instead of being a menace to life and property on the streets.

Ardmoreite: In provisioning "a union of all civilized peoples against disease and death," the Methodist clip-sheet asks, "Shall the English-speaking race dry or die?" Well, what's the difference?

Lawton Constitution: Keeping wages where they are and lowering prices is one remedy the president suggests for the high cost of living. It is surplus over expense that measures the value of income.

Eufaula Journal: General Pershing has lost no friends and suffered

nothing in prestige for his refusal to appear before a republican "investigation," and apologize for winning the war under a democratic administration.

Okemah Ledger: Joe Bailey of Texas is trying to organize a new political party to oppose prohibition, woman's suffrage and the league of nations. Joe is a few laps behind on the first two and the third will probably be an accomplished fact before Bailey gets his new party in action.

Ardmore Statesman: Woodrow says we'll be damned if we don't, and the senators say they will be damned if they do. And there you are.

Shawnee News: Over in Ada there is a merchant who uses four pages of space in the daily newspaper in one issue. This man has goods to sell, has faith in his goods

and knows that the daily newspaper is the very best way to reach the people. It is no wonder that Ada is going ahead when you see such exhibitions of enterprise as shown by this merchant. Success to him.

Healdton Herald: To our mind, the strongest argument yet presented in behalf of the league of nations is the fact that the weak-kneed sisters of the republicans are opposed to it.

Wewoka Capital-Democrat: We are pleased to learn that Hon. Luther Harrison, state senator from this district, has been extended a special invitation to address the U. C. V. convention in Atlanta next month. Here's betting our old straw hat that Luther makes a hit at that meeting. If there's anything in the world he can do it is make a speech. And it doesn't make much difference what the subject is, either.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham Bonner



"What!" Exclaimed the Rabbits.

BUNNY BONNIE'S STORY.

"Listen, little rabbits," said Bunny Bonnie, "and I will tell you a story."

The little rabbits were not really very little for if they had been Mother Rabbit wouldn't have allowed their daddy to be around for fear he might kill them or eat them up or do something quite strange like that to his children.

Bunny Bonnie was the grandson of the great old Bunny Bonnie. He was a beautiful black and white rabbit.

"Rabbits," began Bunny Bonnie, "all creatures tell their own stories. They tell them in so many ways, but would you believe it, rabbits, very few people can really read!"

"What!" exclaimed the rabbits, their little noses wiggling. "can't people read? We thought that was one of the chief things people could do."

"We've seen boys and girls with books and we've seen them looking at them though they were reading. They weren't paying attention to anything else. Weren't they reading, Bunny Bonnie?"

"Yes," said Bunny Bonnie, "they were reading books with their words in them."

"What do you mean when you say they were reading books with their words in them?" asked one of the little rabbits.

"I mean," said Bunny Bonnie, "that they were reading the words they know and enjoying them, but although they can read those books they miss reading so many, many more because they can't read other books."

"Still we don't understand," said the little rabbits.

"The books which are written for grown-ups are very nice, no doubt. While I can't read them myself," said Bunny Bonnie, "not even though I had spectacles on, still I can understand what they would be about. They would be stories of people and where they live and what they do. That sort of a story, we can read. We can see what people do and what they wear and what they eat and how they do things. And those are stories."

"Stories," said the little rabbits in surprised tones.

"Of course," said Bunny Bonnie. "Stories are merely telling things that people do and think and feel. Sometimes there are make-believe stories and sometimes there are real stories but those are the things they read in their books. They read adventures and so forth, but they can't read our books—or, at least, only a very few."

"Our books?" said the little rabbits.

"Yes, our books," said Bunny Bonnie. "I didn't know we had libraries," said the little rabbits.

"I will tell you about them, for you can understand," said Bunny Bonnie.

"When I speak of our books," continued Bunny Bonnie, "I mean the stories we have to tell of our trips, of our homes, of our lives, of our adventures, of our narrow escapes."

"All we creatures have our books, too. The ground squirrels, or picket pins, cousins of the woodchucks, they have their books."

"The squirrel has his story to tell, his book of stories. And so has the robin with his hop and his walk. Can people read that the robin has been having an adventure from his track? Can they tell a robin has been around by knowing the track of the little bird which hops and then walks along and then flies?"

"Can they tell when the squirrel flies and how he moves about, what his life story is, and what he has been doing lately? Can they see where he has been flying? Can they tell when we have been around because, for one thing, our front feet are irregular, and for another, we keep going faster and faster all the time?"

"No, there are many people who don't know that most important thing about the rabbit family that they go faster and faster as they run, and aren't like creatures who slow down after they have gone so far."

"But the story books of the animals, the stories of what we do and where we go we leave written down in our tracks instead of in words, only alas, so few people can read our books."

"Maybe they'll learn how to read our books, our tracks and our habits and our ways," said the little rabbits.

"Let us hope so," said Bunny Bonnie. "for I feel they will enjoy them."

Written Down in Our Tracks.

Worn When Often Told.

Why is a joke not as desirable as a church bell? Because after it has been told a few times it is worn out.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THE ENGINEERS?

(Continued from Page One.)

Fuller, consulting engineers in immediate charge of investigation into certain methods of preliminary and final purification of the Schuylkill river water for the city of Philadelphia, with especial reference to the applicability to this problem of the devices of the J. P. A. Mainguen Company.

March, 1902 to June, 1902.—Assistant engineer, Hering & Fuller, consulting engineers, 170 Broadway, New York.

July, 1902 to February, 1903.—Engineer in charge of the Little Falls (New Jersey) filter plant owned by the East Jersey Water Company and the first municipal filter of modern design constructed in the world. Rated capacity, 32,000,000 gallons daily.

March, 1903 to December, 1903.—Field director and principal assistant engineer for the commission for additional water supply of New York City, making a sanitary survey of 1500 square miles of the Hudson river water shed, gathering data to be used in the selection of a source for an additional supply of 500,000,000 gallons daily for New York City.

January, 1904 to June, 1904.—Assistant engineer Hering & Fuller, consulting engineers, 170 Broadway, New York.

July, 1904 to November, 1905.—Engineer in charge at Columbus, Ohio, of investigations by the city into method of purifying the sewage, and softening and otherwise purifying the water supply of that city.

November, 1905 to November, 1906.—Spent abroad investigating and reporting upon twenty-one (21) water and sewage projects in Japan, China, Straits Settlements, Ceylon, India, Egypt, France, Belgium, Germany and England.

November, 1906 to October, 1910.—Assistant engineer, principal assistant engineer, and finally member of firm of Hering & Fuller, consulting engineers, 170 Broadway, New York.

October, 1910 to August, 1911.—Member of firm of Johnson & Fuller, (George A. Johnson and William B. Fuller) consulting engineers, 150 Nassau street, New York.

August, 1911 to June, 1918.—Private practice under name of George A. Johnson, consulting engineer, 150 Nassau street, New York.

June, 1918.—Commissioned major, quartermaster corps, national army, and detailed to the construction division of the army, in charge of water and sewer sections of the maintenance and repair branch of that division. In September, 1918, made assistant to the officer in charge. On November 1st, 1918, promoted to lieutenant colonel.

Five years as practicing water bacteriologist and chemist and occasional pathological work. After that specialized on design, supervision of construction, operation and maintenance of water and sewage works. Served in these capacities in over seventy communities, including the following: Bangor, Maine; Cambridge, Massachusetts; Hartford, Connecticut; New York City; New York State Conservation Commission; Bronx Valley Sewage Commission; Passaic Valley Sewage Commission; Trenton, New Jersey; Pittsburgh, Penn.; Indianapolis, Ind.; St. Louis, Missouri; Birmingham, Alabama; Washington, D. C.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Buffalo, New York.

Author of numerous works on water supply, water purification, sewerage and sewage disposal, epidemiology, bacteriology and pathology.

Member of American Society of Civil Engineers; American Society of Mechanical Engineers; Engineering Institute of Canada; American Water Works Association; American Public Health Association; Boston Society Civil Engineers; New England Water Works Association; New Jersey Sanitary Association; Engineers Society of Pennsylvania; American Society of Municipal Improvements.

Professional Record—Benham.

Graduated from Columbia University, New York City, Civil Engineering (C. E. Degree) 1905.

May, 1905 to September, 1915.—Assistant superintendent buildings and grounds Columbia University, New York City.

September, 1905 to August, 1906.—Assistant engineer New Jersey Zinc Company, Franklin Furnace New Jersey in charge of underground engineering forces.

September, 1906 to January, 1910.—Member of the firm of Benham & Adams, civil engineers, Oklahoma City, Okla.

May, 1908 to May, 1910.—Assistant city engineer Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Had charge of approximately two million dollars worth paving and two million dollars water works and sewers for city.

June, 1910 to June, 1919.—Chief engineer Benham Engineering Company, consulting engineers, Oklahoma City, Okla. This organization has acted as consulting engineers in the following cities:

Moline, Kan., waterworks and electric lights; Herington, Kan., waterworks; Cleveland, Okla., paving; Collinsville, Okla., paving and sewers; Wagoner, Okla., waterworks and electric lights; Stillwater, Okla., waterworks and paving; Pryor, Okla., waterworks and sewers; Perkins, Okla., waterworks; Bristow, Okla., sewers, paving and water; Morris, Okla., waterworks; Henryetta, Okla., waterworks and sewers; Kingfisher, Okla., waterworks and electric light; Marietta, Okla., waterworks, sewers and paving; Wagoner, Okla., waterworks and sew-

OKLAHOMA LABOR MEN AT SAPULPA

PRESIDENT URGES LESS SELFISH SPIRIT IN SEEKING TO ADJUST LABOR DIFFERENCES.

By News Special Service

SAPULPA, Okla., Sept. 15.—The sixteenth annual convention of the Oklahoma State Federation of Labor opened here today, to continue until all business is completed. Delegates from practically all affiliated unions in the state are in attendance.

In the annual address and report of Edgar Fenton, president of the state Federation, given this afternoon, it was shown that during last year 113 local unions were organized in Oklahoma, making a total of 303 affiliated unions in the state.

Continuing with his report, Mr. Fenton said:

"While this is a greater increase than ever reported to any previous convention, indications are that during the coming year the growth will be much greater. It is my intention to devote all of the time that work during the coming year."

The report of President Fenton deals somewhat generally with labor conditions, and views with pride the record made by organized labor during the war. He says: "Organized labor may cherish with pride the record of its splendid achievements during the war. The need for harmonious and united action in making more effective and in carrying out its constructive policies with relation to the industrial and similar problems now pressing for solution in this and every other state is as great now as during that time."

Usefulness is Urged.

In connection with the general movement for greater organization and a more intensified and consolidated effort among unions, Mr. Fenton says: "Many theories have been advanced as to the cause of the present acute situation in all lines of industry, but one of the greatest contributing causes may be said to be the selfish attitude in which practically every interest has approached the solution of the problems arising from the change from a war to a peace basis. These conditions are mentioned as indicating one of the causes of the efforts of the unorganized workers to secure protection through organization and also explanatory of the difficulty of adjusting many of the controversies that have arisen during the last year."

"Of late there has been much discussion of democracy in industry and many so-called welfare and other plans have been advanced as a means of giving the workers a voice in determining the conditions under which they may work. These plans for the most part rest entirely upon the generosity of the employer and tend toward individual bargaining that places the workers at a disadvantage. Temporary benefits are often given voluntarily to prevent effective organization that would make such gains secure. These conditions have been met almost daily in the organization work throughout the state, but the unorganized workers are realizing more than ever before that permanent benefits can come only through organization and are coming into the ranks of organized labor in ever increasing numbers."

Matters of much importance to organized labor, that of industrial insurance, is spoken of by Mr. Fenton in which he says:

"There appears to be a growing sentiment in favor of a state insurance feature and I believe that our efforts to secure the enactment of such a provision should be continued. The effect of such a provision would be to solve many of the difficult problems that have arisen in the operation of the present law (workmen's compensation). This feature has been so fully discussed at previous conventions that I shall not take up the time of this convention with a detailed discussion of the matter."

Would Change Compensation

"The Oklahoma workmen's compensation law is the only law in effect in the United States or any foreign country that does not cover injuries resulting in death, and until the constitution of the state is amended it will be impossible to amend the law to cover such cases. As a result of this condition human life has become very cheap in this state. This may be harsh language, but nothing else will serve to state the

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condition that exists. Many employers and insurance companies are settling cases and securing a release in some of these cases for \$200 and \$300. According to the best information that we have been able to secure, the average amount is much less than in any state in the Union having a workmen's compensation law."

Mr. Fenton touches on the question of the manner of selecting mine inspectors. In some states they are appointed; Oklahoma elects them. He says: "Having in mind the trouble that has been experienced in other states in the selection of mine inspectors, where such inspectors are appointed, I believe that we should be sure of our ground before agreeing to any change from the elective system of selecting mine inspectors. I shall recommend this to the consideration of the convention."

GUARDSMEN CALLED FOR WILSON'S VISIT

By News Special Service

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 17.—The general order for the mobilization of approximately 1,000 national guardsmen and equipment in Oklahoma City on September 26 to assist in handling the Wilson day crowd was issued yesterday by Adj. Gen. C. F. Barrett, who will command the troops on that occasion.

The order setting forth the number of men to be used and other information concerning their mobilization follows:

The order calls for one colonel, two majors, one adjutant, from the second infantry, and one officer and twelve men from each of the following companies of the regiment: A, B, D, E, K, L, and M; one officer and twenty-five men from companies C, F, G, machine gun and supply; three officers and entire companies H and I; one major and four men of sanitary detachment.

The following details are called from the third infantry: one colonel, two majors, one adjutant; one officer and twelve men from each lettered company; one major and four men of sanitary detachment; one officer and ten men each from the machine gun and sanitary companies.

From the First Separate battalion are called one officer and twenty-five men of Company B; two officers and entire company, Company D.

Three majors, two captains and three sergeants of the state administrative staff are called.

Three companies will report to the armory at 10 o'clock on the morning of September 26, and the remainder of the detail will report not later than 3 o'clock in the after-

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Ada, Okla.

WITNESSES:

Up Stairs

First National Bank

WILSON INTERPRETS TREATY AS TO IRELAND

By the Associated Press

ON BOARD PRES. WILSON'S SPECIAL TRAIN, Sept. 17.—Setting forth publicly for the first time since his interpretation of the league of nations covenant as it affects Ireland, President Wilson said in a statement today that the league would constitute a forum before which could be brought all claims for self determination which are likely to affect the peace of the world.

"The covenant would not bind the United States to assist in putting down rebellion in any foreign country," he asserted, "nor would it limit the power of this country to recognize the independence of any people who seek to secure freedom."

President Wilson said Ireland's case was not heard at Versailles because it did not come within the jurisdiction of the peace conference.

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(By H. C. Fisher)



New Wants

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 room house on West 9th Street.—J. F. McKeel. 9-11-17

FOR SALE—Violin in good condition. See John Skinner at Ada News. 8-30-17.

FOR SALE—Fine heifer calf. See J. T. Watson. 108 E. Main Street. 9-17-31

FOR SALE—Good roll top office desk. See Rae C. Hargis at Ada Cleaning and Dye Works. 9-15-31

FOR SALE—5 room modern house, 50x140 lot, 719 West 9th. Call at Crowder's Barber Shop. 9-15-31

FOR SALE—On East Side, 5 room modern house, never been occupied. Phone 637. 9-11-17

FOR SALE—5 room house, strictly modern, on Cherry near 21st St. Apply to Mrs. S. J. Johnson on premises. 9-16-17

FOR SALE—8 room modern residence on East 13th Street. Will take car in part payment. Phone 818. 9-16-31

FOR SALE—Good steak 15c; good roast 12 1/2c; good stew meat 10c. Don't forget the place. O. K. Market. 106 West Main, Phone 95. 9-16-17

FOR SALE—Mules, wagon and harness. Will let reliable party use them for the feed. Telephone 827. 9-16-31

FOR SALE—Six room residence at 521 East Eighth Street. See me at 922 East Main.—H. J. Hattox. 9-15-17

FOR SALE—County blue print maps, oil lease blanks, departmental leases, commercial and departmental guardian leases.—Ada News. 5-27-17

FOR SALE—A few nice lots on E. 7th St., four blocks north of the normal at \$6 per front foot. Also two or three good farms. See Dr. Sullivan. 8-15-17

FOR SALE—Good team of mares. One 8 years old and one 5 years; both will bring mule colts in spring. Mary Ford. Call at 230 East 14th. 9-15-31

FOR SALE—Improved and unimproved farms in McCurtain county, Oklahoma. Good land at low price with ample rainfall to make a crop every year. Small cash payment, balance in yearly payments for ten years. For further information address, Southern Land and Townsite Co., Broken Bow, Okla. 9-8-30-17

FOR SALE—Beautiful bungalow at 226 West 18th, across from High school. Six rooms, breakfast room, hall and basement. Hardwood floors, some built in furniture. House built year ago. If interested see owner, Mrs. O. D. Wright. Phone 68-R. 9-16-51

This is the best buy in the state: 310 acre farm, 180 acres in cultivation, can run motor plow over 130 acres of this good valley farm. If you want to buy a home see me about this one. Only \$35 per acre. Also 6-room house, \$2,000; 6-room house, \$3,000. 2, 3 and 4 room houses; Small payment down, rest like rent. See Cloer at Commercial hotel. 9-15-17

MISCELLANEOUS

OLD Mattresses—Made new. Phone 170. 401 E. 10.—E. A. Smith. 8-7-17

First Piano Ad in New York. New York's first piano advertisement was printed on Jan. 10, 1780. John Jacob Astor, whose store was at 81 Queen street, "next door but one to the Friends' meeting house," was the advertiser. He announced the sale of "an assortment of pianofortes of the newest construction, made by the best makers of London."

New Wants

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Bed rooms. 707 East Main. 8-29-17

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room for gentleman; close in, 210 E. 12th.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 423 East Ninth. 9-16-31

FOR RENT—Small residence on North Mississippi. Apply to Alfred Vaden at postoffice. 9-15-31

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, furnished, girls preferred. 726 W. 12th, Phone 432. 9-16-21

FOR RENT—Three rooms, modern home, for small family of three or four. 820 West 6th St. 9-16-31

FOR RENT—Two downstairs rooms for light housekeeping. 201 North Stonewall, Phone 743. 9-15-17

FOR RENT—Two hundred acre farm two miles west of Ada. Call Bland Harden. Telephone 838. 9-15-17

FOR RENT—Nice large rooms on the south and adjoining bath for light housekeeping. 509 South Townsend, Phone 451. 9-15-31

WANTED

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. News office.

WANTED—Second hand furniture. Phone 234. 9-12-17

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing.—Miller Bros. 8-1-17

WANTED—Experienced woman to sew. Call 476 or 48. 9-15-17

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, at Ada Repair Shop. 218 West 12th. 7-16-17

WANTED—A helper at night. Must be over sixteen.—Knott's Bakery. 9-15-31

WANTED—Girl to do light house work. 215 East 13th. Phone 691.—Mrs. B. Scheinberg. 9-15-31

WANTED—To buy or trade for a used 5 passenger or roadster Ford, rather have one without top and body. Must be in good condition. Telephone 305, Ada Compress Co. 9-16-31—17w

Stop the Roping.
Durant Democrat: If there is not now on our statute books a law against roping contests, the Democrat trusts that the next legislature will see to it that a stringent one is placed therein, and that contests of this character are not allowed in this state. The contests at the fair last week are similar to all that have been held in this state, and are brutal in the extreme. Several of the steers were killed, and a number wounded, while some of the horses were injured. Just why this character of sport has been allowed to proceed in this state, we are unable to say, but we trust that it will never be put on again in this county. It is not human to run the poor old animals around the field, and have a fellow on a pony roping the steer and throwing him to the ground with enough violence to kill it. If it takes sport of this kind to attract crowds to the fair, it would be better not to hold the fair.

We are not criticizing the fair officials for placing this attraction, for roping contests have been with us for a long while and they have only been following out a time-honored custom, but it has reached a point where a halt should be called.

Marriage Licenses

Dee Noels, 23, Ada, to Manda Hardin, 17, Ada.
E. E. Lollar, 22, Ada, to Hester Summers, 17, Ada.
J. W. Whitaker, 32, Clarita, to Virginia Ferguson, 19, Clarita.

Harris Arrivals

W. E. Middleton, City
J. A. Saunders, Marshall
J. C. Skinner
J. E. Adams, Okla. City
W. B. Askene, Okla. City
Frank O. Kerr, Okla. City
Mrs. E. L. Rogers, Shawnee
L. H. Phillips, Chandler
C. A. Jenks, Detroit
M. H. Savery, Chicago
E. L. Beardsley, St. Louis
F. P. Ditto, St. Louis
R. J. Kiny, Clarksville, Texas
Leslie Smith, Muskogee
W. H. Walker, Muskogee
Ed Moody, St. Louis
L. A. Lowe, Denison, Tex.
C. O. Mayes and wife, Kans. City
H. L. Wesepal, Antlers, Okla.
A. G. Veach, Centralia, Ill.
C. B. Welch, Tulsa
C. E. Groggs, Dallas
C. D. Hall, Dallas
E. H. Chapman
A. B. Cockrell, Okla. City
Cleop. Waldman, Hugo
P. E. Delowin, Roff
S. A. Beesley, Okla. City
H. B. Guethes
P. H. Cramer, Shawnee
H. J. Veezey, Baltimore, Md.
J. W. Connerford, Okla. City
F. W. Green, Guthrie
K. R. Jenis, Okla. City
N. H. Hefter, Chicago
G. W. Bucey, Kans. City, Mo.
L. O. Grygley, Ft. Worth
J. B. Atkinson and wife
W. G. O'Brien, Evansville
W. P. Been, Tulsa
W. R. Woodriddle, Tulsa
Fate Cooper
Bill Reeves, City
Carl R. Welden, Allen
Farrat G. Dellinger, Francis
J. C. Groves, Okla. City
Sid Starritt, Maunett
Chas. Starritt, Maunett
V. L. Sturgill, Ada
J. L. Wagerberg, N. Y.
H. Schuetzberg, Kansas City, Mo.
R. J. Crane, Oklahoma City.
Frank Coe, Oklahoma City.
John Cowar, St. Louis, Mo.
J. C. Hanegger, Dallas, Texas.
Tom Hailes, Ardmore.
J. N. Jarrett and wife, Aurora, Mo.

V. L. Sturgill, Ada.
H. O. Wick, Joplin, Mo.
J. T. Nesbitt, Durant.
B. T. Rutledge, Ada.
S. A. Wells, Ft. Worth, Texas.
Jas. E. Black, New Orleans, La.
O. E. Hall, Dallas, Texas.
Roy N. Byrd, Muskogee.
Albert Koring, Ada.
P. L. Allen, Springfield.
A. M. Bottger, Springfield.
A. Kintoch, Springfield.
Dave Black, Tulsa.
A. G. Hollis and wife, Oklahoma City.
C. E. Spriggs, Dallas, Texas.
S. James, Sulphur.
Jack Hahn, Oklahoma City.
C. W. Ellis, Oklahoma City.
B. O. Mayhull, Oklahoma City.
H. D. Hall, Houston, Texas.
O. S. Hutchinson, Oklahoma City.
D. F. Bostick, Shawnee.
W. F. Sharrock, Jesse.
J. W. Hundery, Calvin.
H. P. Hamon, Kansas City, Mo.
J. H. Warren, McAlester.
E. C. Denry, Kansas City, Mo.
L. A. Wright, Kansas City, Mo.
Calvin Ballard, Muskogee.
Neal O'Sullivan, Oklahoma City.
J. H. Hook, Chicago.
J. A. Bedford, McAlester.
J. N. Wadley, Kansas City, Mo.
M. A. Bailey, Nashville, Tenn.
I. L. Hefley, Oklahoma City.
H. Love, Enid.
R. E. Harrison and wife, Fort Worth, Texas.
B. W. Sanderson, Dallas, Texas.
H. G. Edgman and wife, Byars.
L. B. Toomer, Muskogee.
J. M. Humansky, Ringling Bros.
J. Turner White, Tulsa.

World's Greatest Cataract.
What is set down as the greatest cataract in the world is on the Igazu river, which partly separates Brazil and Argentina. The precipice over which the river plunges is 210 feet high, that of Niagara being 167 feet. The cataract is 13,123 feet wide, or about two and a half times as wide as Niagara. It is estimated that 100,000,000 tons of water pass over Niagara in an hour. A like estimate gives the falls of Igazu 140,000,000 tons.

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I was not able to do any of my work for one year and I got worse all the time, was confined to my bed all the time. I got so bad with my back that when I stooped down I was not able to straighten up again... I decided I would try Cardui... By time I had taken the entire bottle I was feeling pretty good and could straighten up and my pains were nearly all gone.

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Stock Market

Kansas City Stock Yards, Sept. 15th, 1919.—Cattle were about steady, sheep lower, and hogs steady to 25 cents higher today. The present price position of cattle, hogs and sheep is nearer a normal level than at any previous time in the past eighteen months, and recent declines have brought the market low enough to anticipate broadening demand. Liberal receipts are reported at all markets and the movement from the range country is large.

Today's Receipts.
Receipts today were 28,000 cattle, 10,000 hogs, 26,000 sheep, compared with 28,000 cattle, 11,000 hogs, and 19,000 sheep a week ago, and 37,600 cattle, 11,425 hogs, and 16,375 sheep a year ago. The bulk of the cattle came from Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, with fairly liberal supplies from Colorado and the Northwest.

Railroads from the West are handling the bulk of the incoming business, and shipments through and out of Pueblo are receiving quick service with no congestion at any point.

Beef Cattle.
Steers and cows fat enough for killers were quoted steady, but the trade was slow and killers were inclined to pick over the supply closely. Some of the common kind were lower. Native fed steers sold up to \$17.50 and the bulk of the grass fat steers brought \$9.50 to \$11.50. Cows were steady. Several large bunches of canner cows sold at \$5.25 and \$5.50 and the fat cows brought \$6.50 to \$8.50, choice grades up to \$10.50. Veal calves were quoted steady, and bulls stronger.

Hogs.
Demand for hogs was more urgent than late last week and prices were strong to 25 cents higher. Top price was \$17.35, and bulk of sales \$16.00 to \$17.00. A liberal percent of the offerings were pigs and light weight hogs that sold as feeders at \$15.50 to \$17.50. Choice pigs are higher than fat hogs. Shippers are in the market again and general indications are that last week's prices will be the low level of the month.

Sheep and Lambs.
Sheep receipts were 26,000. Prices were steady to 25 cents lower. The bulk of the arrivals were feeding lambs that brought \$13.00 to \$13.50 and the bulk of the fat lambs sold at \$14.50 to \$15.00. Fat lambs were not considered top quality, and prime grades would have brought \$15.25. Demand for feeders is large. The Omaha market is swamped. Receipts there today 75,000.

CHARLES H. PIPKIN.

Market Correspondent.

Night School.

At Business College will begin Sept. 22. Classes from 7 to 9 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. 9-13-17

Election Proclamation.

Under and by virtue of Section 27, Article 10, of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, and Ordinance No. 425 of the City of Ada, said State, authorizing the calling of an election for the purpose hereinafter set forth, approved the 19th day of August, 1919, I the undersigned, Mayor of said city, hereby call an election to be held in said city on the 18th day of September, 1919, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property tax-paying electors of said city the following propositions:

PROPOSITION No. 1. Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$250,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to enlarge and improve the present Water Works System, owned by said city, by acquiring the necessary material and doing the necessary work for installing additional water mains and water works facilities, to be used as a public utility and to be owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty five years from their date.

PROPOSITION No. 2. Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$75,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of providing funds for the construction of Sanitary Sewer Mains and Sub-Mains and Storm Sewers, and Sewage Disposal Plant for the use of said city as public utilities, to be owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax in addition to all other taxes upon all the taxable property in said city, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty five years from their date.

PROPOSITION No. 3. Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$10,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to improve a Park Site to be used as a public utility and owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty-five years from their date.

The ballots used at said election shall set out the proposition as above set forth, and shall also contain the words:

First: O—For the Bonds.

Second: O—Against the Bonds.

(If the voter desires to vote for the bonds he or she shall stamp an "X" in the first square above; if he or she desires to vote against the bonds he or she shall stamp an "X" in the second square above.)

The polls shall be opened at Six o'clock A. M., and remain open continuously until and be closed at Seven o'clock P. M.

The number and location of the polling places and the persons who shall conduct said election shall be as follows:

Ward No. 1.—At City Hall; E. R. Banks and W. A. Alexander, judges, and C. M. Chaucey and W. E. McKelvey, clerks.

Ward No. 2, at News Office; T. O. Cullins and S. S. Holcomb, judges, and W. B. Fretwell and P. T. Drummond, clerks.

Ward No. 3, at Ellis & Son store; Martin Hively and Robt. Ellis, judges, and C. W. Graves and F. S. Hout, clerks.

Ward No. 4, at Ada Marble

Lodges

I. O. O. F.
Ada Lodge No. 146, I. O. O. F. Regular meeting every Thursday night.

LEE HARGIS, N. G.
H. C. EVANS, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.
Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.
MILES CRIGSBY, W. M.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

R. A. M.
Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.
D. W. SWAFFAR, H. P.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

K. T. M.
Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each month.
C. G. BRADFORD, E. C.
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

W. O. W.
Ada Camp No. 568 meets every Tuesday night, I. O. O. F. Hall, 7:30 o'clock.
HUGH BENNETT, C. C.
C. E. CUNNING, Clerk.

Works; E. S. Collins and J. T. Conn, judges, and O. J. Davidson and G. T. Lancaster, clerks.
Such officers shall also act as counters.

WITNESS my hand as Mayor of said city affixed in said city, this 20th day of August, A. D. 1919.
(Seal) GARY KITCHENS,
Mayor and Chairman, Board of Commissioners.

Attest: W. B. Jones, Clerk, Board of Commissioners. 8-21-19

Birds and Flowers.
It has been estimated that there are 2,000 varieties of wild flowers growing in the Rocky Mountain National park and more than 1,000 species of birds building their homes in the fir, aspens, spruces and willows of that section. Even the tiny humming bird and the forget-me-nots find life easy on the summit of Pike's peak. Some of the other flowers are the fringed gentians, columbine, buttercups and daisies and delicate pinks.

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MUTT AND JEFF—Outside of That, Jeff's Invention Was a Bear.

(By H. C. Fisher)



New's Wants

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—5 room house on West 9th Street.—J. F. McKee. 9-11-tf

FOR SALE—Violin in good condition. See John Skinner at Ada News. 8-30-tf.

FOR SALE—Fine heifer calf. See J. T. Watson. 108 E. Main Street. 9-17-3t

FOR SALE—Good roll top office desk. See Rae C. Hargis at Ada Cleaning and Dye Works. 9-15-3t

FOR SALE—5 room modern house, 50x140 lot. 719 West 9th. Call at Crowder's Barber Shop. 9-15-3t

FOR SALE—On East Side, 5 room modern house, never been occupied. Phone 637. 9-11-tf

FOR SALE—5 room house, strictly modern, on Cherry near 21st St. Apply to Mrs. S. J. Johnson on premises. 9-16-4t

FOR SALE—8 room modern residence on East 13th street. Will take car in part payment. Phone 818. 9-16-3t

FOR SALE—Good steak 15c; good roast 12 1-2c; good stew meat 10c. Don't forget the place. O. K. Market, 106 West Main, Phone 25. 9-16-4t

FOR SALE—Mules, wagon and harness. Will let reliable party use them for the feed. Telephone 827. 9-16-3t

FOR SALE—Six room residence at 521 East Eighth Street. See me at 922 East Main.—H. J. Hattox. 9-15-6t

FOR SALE—County blue print maps, oil lease blanks, departmental leases, commercial and departmental guardian leases.—Ada News. 5-27-tf

FOR SALE—A few nice lots on E. 7th St., four blocks north of the normal at \$6 per front foot. Are two or three good farms. See Dr. Sullivan. 8-15-cod

FOR SALE—Good team of mares. One 8 years old and one 5 years; both will bring mule colts in spring.—Mary Ford. Call at 230 East 14th. 9-15-3t

FOR SALE—Improved and unimproved farms in McCurtain county, Oklahoma. Good land at low price, with ample rainfall to make a crop every year. Small cash payment, balance in yearly payments for ten years. For further information address, Southern Land and Townsite Co., Broken Bow, Okla. 9-8-30t

FOR SALE—Beautiful bungalow at 226 West 18th, across from High school. Six rooms, breakfast room, hall and basement. Hardwood floors, some built in furniture. House built year ago. If interested see owner, Mrs. O. D. Wright, Phone 68-R. 9-16-5t

This is the best buy in the state: 310 acre farm, 180 acres in cultivation, can run motor plow over 130 acres of this good valley farm. If you want to buy a home see me about this one. Only \$35 per acre. Also 6-room house, \$2,000; 6-room house, \$3,000. 2, 3 and 4 room houses; Small payment down, rent like rent. See Cloer at Commercial hotel. 9-15-6t

MISCELLANEOUS

OLD Mattresses—Made new. Phone 170, 401 E. 10.—E. A. Smith. 8-7-tf

First Piano Ad in New York. New York's first piano advertisement was printed on Jan. 10, 1780. John Jacob Astor, whose store was at 81 Queen street, "next door but one to the Friends' meeting house," was the advertiser. He announced the sale of "an assortment of pianofortes of the newest construction, made by the best makers of London."

New's Wants

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Bed rooms. 707 East Main. 8-29-tf.

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room for gentleman; close in, 210 E. 12th.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 423 East Ninth. 9-16-3t

FOR RENT—Small residence on North Mississippi. Apply to Alfred Vaden at postoffice. 9-15-3t

FOR RENT—Front bedroom, furnished, girls preferred. 726 W. 12th. Phone 432. 9-16-2t

FOR RENT—Three rooms, modern home, for small family of three or four, 830 West 6th St. 9-16-3t

FOR RENT—Two downstairs rooms for light housekeeping. 201 North Stonewall. Phone 743. 9-15-6t

FOR RENT—Two hundred acre farm two miles west of Ada. Call Bland Harden. Telephone 838. 9-15-6t

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WANTED

WANTED—Clean cotton rags. News office.

WANTED—Second hand furniture. Phone 234. 9-12-tf

WANTED—Your cleaning and pressing.—Miller Bros. 8-1-tf

WANTED—Experienced woman to sew. Call 476 or 48. 9-15-tf

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, at Ada Repair Shop, 218 West 12th. 7-16-tf

WANTED—A helper at night. Must be over sixteen.—Knot's Bakery. 9-15-3t

WANTED—Girl to do light house work. 215 East 13th. Phone 691.—Mrs. B. Scheinberg. 9-15-3t

WANTED—To buy or trade for a used 5 passenger or roadster Ford, rather have one without top and body. Must be in good condition. Telephone 205, Ada Compress Co. 9-16-3td-1tw

Stop the Roping.

Durant Democrat: If there is not now on our statute books a law against roping contests, the Democrat trusts that the next legislature will see to it that a stringent one is placed therein, and that contests of this character are not allowed in this state. The contests at the fair last week are similar to all that have been held in this state, and are brutal in the extreme. Several of the steers were killed, and a number wounded, while some of the horses were injured. Just why this character of sport has been allowed to proceed in this state, we are unable to say, but we trust that it will never be put on again in this country. It is not human to run the poor old animals around the field, and have a fellow on a pony roping the steer and throwing him to the ground with enough violence to kill it. If it takes sport of this kind to attract crowds to the fair, it would be better not to hold the fair.

We are not criticizing the fair officials for placing this attraction, for roping contests have been with us for a long while and they have only been following out a time-honored custom, but it has reached a point where a halt should be called.

Marriage Licenses

Dee Noels, 23, Ada, to Manda Hardin, 17, Ada.
E. E. Lollar, 22, Ada, to Hester Summers, 17, Ada.
J. W. Whitaker, 32, Clarita, to Virginia Ferguson, 19, Clarita.

Harris Arrivals

W. E. Middleton, City
J. A. Saunders, Marshall
H. C. Skinner
J. E. Adams, Okla. City
W. B. Askene, Okla. City
Frank O. Kerr, Okla. City
Mrs. E. L. Rogers, Shawnee
I. H. Phillips, Chandler
C. A. Jenks, Detroit
M. H. Savery, Chicago
E. L. Beardsley, St. Louis
P. P. Ditto, St. Louis
R. J. Kiny, Clarksville, Texas
Leslie Smith, Muskogee
W. H. Walker, Muskogee
Ed Moody, St. Louis
L. A. Lowe, Denison, Tex.
C. O. Mayes and wife, Kans. City
H. L. Vesepal, Antlers, Okla.
A. G. Veach, Centralia, Ill.
C. B. Welch, Tulsa
C. E. Groges, Chicago
C. D. Hall, Dallas
E. H. Chapman
A. B. Cockrell, Okla. City
Cleop. P. Waldman, Hugo
P. E. Delowin, Roff
S. A. Beesley, Okla. City
H. B. Gnetches
P. H. Cramer, Shawnee
H. J. Veesey, Baltimore, Md.
J. W. Connerford, Okla. City
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K. R. Jenis, Okla. City
N. H. Heffer, Chicago
G. W. Bucey, Kans. City, M. O.
L. O. Grygley, Ft. Worth
J. B. Atkinson and wife
W. G. O'Brien, Evansville
W. P. Been, Tulsa
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V. L. Sturgill, Ada
J. S. Wasserberg, N. Y.
H. Schuetzbug, Kansas City, Mo.
R. J. Crane, Oklahoma City.
Frank Coe, Oklahoma City.
John Cowar, St. Louis, Mo.
J. C. Hanesger, Dallas, Texas.
Tom Haller, Ardmore.
J. M. Jarrett and wife, Aurora, Mo.

V. L. Sturgill, Ada.
H. O. Wick, Joplin, Mo.
J. T. Nesbitt, Durant.
B. T. Rutledge, Ada.
S. A. Wells, Ft. Worth, Texas.
Jas. E. Black, New Orleans, La.
O. E. Hall, Dallas, Texas.
Roy N. Byrd, Muskogee.
Albert Koring, Ada.
P. L. Allen, Springfield.
A. M. Bottger, Springfield.
A. Kintoch, Springfield.
Dave Black, Tulsa.
A. G. Hollis and wife, Oklahoma City.

C. E. Spriggs, Dallas, Texas.
S. James, Sulphur.
Jack Hahn, Oklahoma City.
C. W. Ellis, Oklahoma City.
B. O. Mayhull, Oklahoma City.
H. D. Hall, Houston, Texas.
O. S. Hutchinson, Oklahoma City.
D. F. Bostick, Shawnee.
W. F. Sharrock, Jesse.
J. W. Hundery, Calvin.
H. P. Hamon, Kansas City, Mo.
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J. M. Humansky, Ringling Bros.
J. Turner White, Tulsa.

World's Greatest Cataract.
What is set down as the greatest cataract in the world is on the Iguazu river, which partly separates Brazil and Argentina. The precipice over which the river plunges is 210 feet high, that of Niagara being 167 feet. The cataract is 13,123 feet wide, or about two and a half times as wide as Niagara. It is estimated that 100,000,000 tons of water pass over Niagara in an hour. A like estimate gives the falls of Iguazu 140,000,000 tons.

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The Terrible Pains in Back and Sides. Cardui Gave Relief.

Marksville La.—Mrs. Alice Johnson, of this place, writes: "For one year I suffered with an awful misery in my back and sides. My left side was hurting me all the time. The misery was something awful."

"I could not do anything, not even sleep at night. It kept me awake most of the time. I took different medicines, but nothing did me any good or relieve me until I took Cardui."

"I was not able to do any of my work for one year and I got worse all the time, was confined to my bed and on. I got so bad with my back that when I stooped down I was not able to straighten up again. I decided I would try Cardui. By the time I had taken the entire bottle I was feeling pretty good and could straighten up and my pains were nearly all gone."

"I shall always praise Cardui. I continued taking it until I was strong and well." If you suffer from pains due to female complaints, Cardui may be just what you need. Thousands of women who once suffered in this way now praise Cardui for their present good health. Give it a trial. NC-133

Stock Market

Kansas City Stock Yards, Sept. 15th, 1919.—Cattle were about steady, sheep lower, and hogs steady to 25 cents higher today. The present price position of cattle, hogs and sheep is nearer a normal level than at any previous time in the past eighteen months, and recent declines have brought the market low enough to anticipate broadening demand. Liberal receipts are reported at all markets and the movement from the range country is large.

Today's Receipts.
Receipts today were 28,000 cattle, 10,000 hogs, 26,000 sheep, compared with 28,000 cattle, 11,000 hogs, and 19,000 sheep a week ago, and 37,600 cattle, 11,425 hogs, and 16,375 sheep a year ago. The bulk of the cattle came from Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas, with fairly liberal supplies from Colorado and the Northwest.

Railroads from the West are handling the bulk of the incoming business, and shipments through and out of Pueblo are receiving quick service with no congestion at any point.

Beef Cattle
Steers and cows fat enough for killers were quoted steady, but the trade was slow and killers were inclined to pick over the supply closely. Some of the common kind were lower. Native fed steers sold up to \$17.50 and the bulk of the grass fat steers brought \$9.50 to \$11.50. Cows were steady. Several large bunches of canner cows sold at \$5.25 and \$5.50 and the fat cows brought \$6.50 to \$8.50, choice grades up to \$10.50. Veal calves were quoted steady, and bulls stronger.

Hogs.
Demand for hogs was more urgent than late last week and prices were strong to 25 cents higher. Top price was \$17.35, and bulk of sales \$16.00 to \$17.00. A liberal percent of the offerings were pigs and light weight hogs that sold as feeders at \$15.50 to \$17.50. Choice pigs are higher than fat hogs. Shippers are in the market again and general indications are that last week's prices will be the low level of the month.

Sheep and Lambs.
Sheep receipts were 26,000. Prices were steady to 25 cents lower. The bulk of the arrivals were feeding lambs that brought \$13.00 to \$13.50 and the bulk of the fat lambs sold at \$14.50 to \$15.00. Fat lambs were not considered top quality, and prime grades would have brought \$15.25. Demand for feeders is large. The Omaha market is swamped. Receipts there today 75,000.

CHARLES H. PIPKIN
Market Correspondent.

Night School.
At Business College will begin Sept. 22. Classes from 7 to 9 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. 9-13-tf

Election Proclamation.

Under and by virtue of Section 27, Article 10, of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma, and Ordinance No. 425 of the City of Ada, said State, authorizing the calling of an election for the purpose hereinafter set forth, approved the 19th day of August, 1919, I the undersigned, Mayor of said city, hereby call an election to be held in said city on the 18th day of September, 1919, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property tax-paying electors of said city the following propositions:

PROPOSITION No. 1. Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$250,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to enlarge and improve the present Water Works System, owned by said city, by acquiring the necessary material and doing the necessary work for installing additional water mains and water works facilities, to be used as a public utility and to be owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty five years from their date.

PROPOSITION No. 2. Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$75,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of providing funds for the construction of Sanitary Sewer Mains and Sub-Mains and Storm Sewers, and Sewage Disposal Plant for the use of said city as public utilities, to be owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax in addition to all other taxes upon all the taxable property in said city, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty five years from their date.

PROPOSITION No. 3. Shall the City of Ada, State of Oklahoma, incur an indebtedness by issuing its negotiable coupon bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$10,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to improve a Park Site to be used as a public utility and owned exclusively by said city, and levy and collect an annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, upon all the taxable property in said city sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and also to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof when due, said bonds to bear interest not to exceed the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, and to become due within twenty-five years from their date.

The ballots used at said election shall set out the proposition as above set forth, and shall also contain the words:

First: O—For the Bonds.

Second: O—Against the Bonds.

(If the voter desires to vote for the bonds he or she shall stamp an "X" in the first square above; if he or she desires to vote against the bonds he or she shall stamp an "X" in the second square above.)

The polls shall be opened at Six o'clock A. M., and remain open continuously until and be closed at Seven o'clock P. M.

The number and location of the polling places and the persons who shall conduct said election shall be as follows:

Ward No. 1.—At City Hall; E. R. Banks and W. A. Alexander, judges, and C. M. Chauncey and W. E. McKelvey, clerks.

Ward No. 2, at News Office; T. O. Cullins and S. S. Holcomb, judges, and W. B. Fretwell and P. T. Drummond, clerks.

Ward No. 3, at Ellis & Son store; Martin Hively and Robt. Ellis, judges, and C. W. Graves and F. S. Hout, clerks.

Ward No. 4, at Ada Marble

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F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

R. A. M.
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D. W. SWAFFAR, H. P.
F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

K. T. M.
Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each month.
C. G. BRADFORD, E. C.
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

W. O. W.
Ada Camp No. 568 meets every Tuesday night, I. O. O. F. Hall, 7:30 o'clock.
HUGH BENNETT, C. C.
C. E. CUNNING, Clerk.

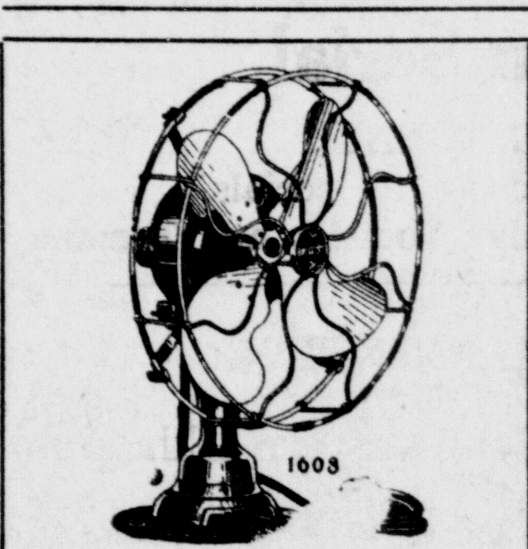
Works; E. S. Collins and J. T. Conn, judges, and O. J. Davidson and G. T. Lancaster, clerks.

Such officers shall also act as counters.

WITNESS my hand as Mayor of said City affixed in said city, this 20th day of August, A. D. 1919. (seal)
GARY KITCHENS,
Mayor and Chairman, Board of Commissioners.
Attest: W. B. Jones, Clerk, Board of Commissioners. 8-21-10t

Birds and Flowers.
It has been estimated that there are 2,000 varieties of wild flowers growing in the Rocky Mountain National park, and more than 1,000 species of birds building their homes in the firs, aspens, spruces and willows of that section. Even the tiny hummingbird and the forget-me-nots find life easy on the summit of Pike's peak. Some of the other flowers are the fringed gentians, columbine, buttercups and daisies and delicate pinks.

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VICTORIOUS ARMY IN NATION'S CAPITAL

(Continued from Page One.)

also, came a host of officers and men who saw their first service with the First Division in France, later to go to other units as instructors. Then came the First Infantry Brigade, marching in the French mass formation, twenty-four men abreast across the avenue, led by the 3rd Machine Gun Battalion with its motorized guns. The infantry marched in column of fours, four companies abreast and with officers and file closers ahead, leaving the men to form a solid block of bayonets for each battalion. The 16th Infantry, veterans of the bitter fighting at Cantigny where Frae learned in what fashion America could and would fight and breathed free again after months of strain, led the way. After its three battalion blocks had passed came the 18th Infantry in similar formation followed by the 1st Machine Gun Battalion of the Brigade.

The Sixth Field Artillery came next, followed by the Second Infantry brigade composed of the 26th and 28th Infantry and the 2nd Machine Gun Battalion, then the long lines of "75's" and the motor drawn "155's" of the 1st Artillery Brigade, the 5th and the 7th Field Artillery. The horse-drawn guns and limbers of the 5th rolled by three columns abreast and the 7th puffed and panted along with its heavier guns in the same formation.

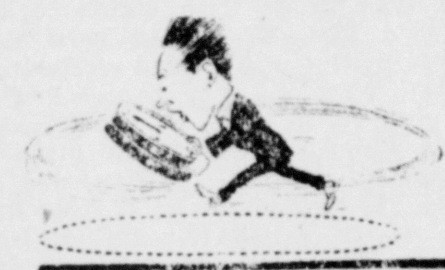
The regular trains of the divisions followed, the 1st Engineer regiment leading the way with the 1st Engineer train behind it to be succeeded by the 2nd Signal Battalion. Then came the almost endless wagon and truck trains of the ammunition, supply and sanitary trains and the 1st company, military police and finally the hospital trains, the 2nd, 3rd, 12th and 13th ambulance companies and Field hospitals.

At various points in the divisional line and before the wallowing tanks hammered and clattered in an uproaring conclusion to the five hour spectacle, all manner of additional units, not part of the division itself, were inserted. These included searchlight trucks, ordinance machine shops, units on motor trucks, sound ranging devices for detecting the position of hidden guns, sound rangars for spotting air raiders at night and much other mechanical equipment that has played a constantly growing part in the war.

So far as the First Division itself is concerned, the official record of its activities during the war recently published by the War Department speaks for itself. It stood 93 days in active sectors of the front against 123 in quiet parts of the line; it fought its way forward over 51 kilometers of sharply contested grounds; it captured 163 German officers and 6,304 German men; it captured also 119 German guns; 62 trench mortars and 413 machine guns. It lists 4,411 officers and men killed or died of wounds and had 17,201 men wounded or gassed in the days it spent at the front and lost only 152 of its own personnel as prisoners to the enemy. Its replacements were greater than its original strength, 50,206 and 356 of its members won distinguished service crosses for conspicuous gallantry in action.

Prayer Meeting Tonight.

Why not all the church members in Ada go to prayer meeting this evening at eight-thirty? All of the ministers carry life insurance, and their wives will be well provided for if an unusually large crowd at prayer meeting shocks them so as to produce death.



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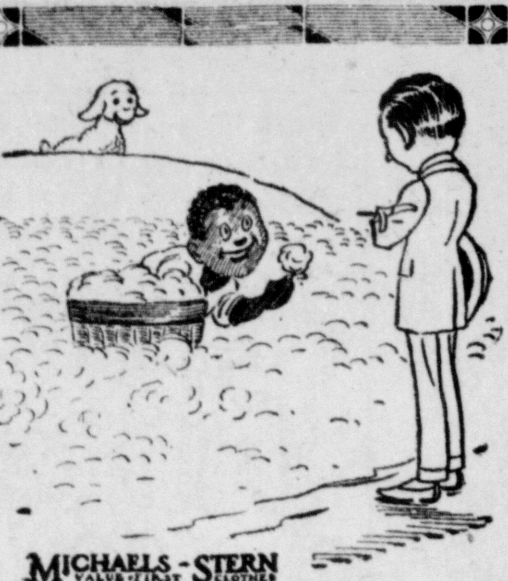
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The above squib from "Life" may run very true to life in cases where the unsuspecting buyer meets the unscrupulous seller, but never in a store like this that thinks too much of its reputation to dabble in any material that wouldn't give our customer full wear and lasting satisfaction.

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Football Prospects at Normal School Look Much Better

A football squad of from 15 to 18 men is out on the Normal gridiron each afternoon working for places on the team and getting ready for the fine schedule beginning at Henry Kendall College, Tulsa, on Oct. 4.

A series of nine games will be played besides the practice games with several of the neighboring high school teams. Coach Newcomb is considering several games for the second team and will arrange for games if sufficient good material is available.

The best schedule that has been arranged for several years is now assured. Following are the dates:

Henry Kendall College at Tulsa, Oct. 4.
Catholic University of Shawnee, on Oct. 10.
Baptist University at Shawnee, on Oct. 25.
Kingfisher College at Ada, Oct. 31.

Weatherford State Normal, at Weatherford, Nov. 7.
Edmond State Normal, at Ada, Nov. 21.
Durant State Normal at Durant, Nov. 28.

Two dates are yet to be filled. With the interest the boys are showing at present and the extra good material coming soon in the personage of Dewey Harden, Jack Cannon, and possibly "Chick" Meadows, East Central is assured of winning her part of the games.

Candidates out for practice at present are:

Ed Brentz—played on Normal team 1 year and Ada high school team two years; trying for right end.
Conn Roach—E. C. S. N. team '16-'17; playing quarterback.

Hardy Roach—Ada high school team 3 years; trying for end.

R. C. Hurd—E. C. S. N. second team 2 years; trying for right half.

Aubrey Kerr—E. C. S. N. '18 team, 2 years Ada high school; trying for fullback.

Walter Oliver—Army football team at University of Texas; trying for fullback or end.

Hall Ingram—E. C. S. N. '17 team; trying for end.

W. H. Hodges—E. C. S. N. '18 team; trying for guard.

W. K. Newcomb—Springfield, Mo., team; trying for guard.

Robert Wimlish—trying for end.

James Anderson—trying for guard.

Paul Holley—trying for end.

Oliver Vernon—E. C. S. N. '17 team; trying for left halfback.

Charley Kidd—E. C. S. N. '16-'17 team; trying for center.

Tate King—E. C. S. N. '18 team; trying for guard or tackle.

Turner—Two years high school football; trying for guard.

Mooney—Ada high school team; trying for tackle.

W. B. Alexander, who for many years has been a resident the Stratford vicinity, has just recently purchased the residence property so long owned by Mrs. Fields, 122 West Fourteenth, where he and his family are now at home. His son, Edgar, is now employed at the First National Bank of this city.

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Ada Eight Years Ago.

In the show window of the Unique Electric Company at 121 East Main there is being displayed a picture of the business section of Ada taken June 21, 1911. It was taken as a booster picture and for a long time was used to advertise the town. A special effort had been made to collect all the autos of the county to be shown in the picture and the picture shows about all the autos that were in the county at that time. There was nine—count them.

No one shown in that picture, taken a little more than eight years ago, had any idea of what Ada would be at the end of eight years. No one in Ada now can possibly guess what Ada will be eight years hence. The water system of eight years ago would not supply our present population. The present system will not supply the population eight years hence.

Girls Physical Education.

The girls of the Ada High School met and organized the Physical Training class on the Cavive. The class was divided into two divisions but it is likely it will be divided into three in the near future, in

order to give each of the one hundred forty-four girls who have enrolled every advantage. Black gym uniforms were selected with red ties and shoe laces. Mr. McAlester, the very competent supervisor of this department, has arranged the program to the pupils' advantage and marching, wand drills, dumb-bell drills, Indian drills will be practiced in rhythm; also musical exercises.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Thru the kindness of the Ada Evening News this space is given to keep the public informed of the activities and happenings at the Ada High School. This kindness is highly appreciated by both students and faculty. These notes will be supplied by one of the Senior English classes, and will take the place of the regular weekly themes. The members of this class will gladly take the responsibility for all statements appearing in these notes.

Pelter's Fashion Shop is showing the most wanted styles in ladies' suits, dresses, plush capes and coats. Your shopping is incomplete unless you visit Pelter's Fashion Shop.
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High School Faculty Directory

For the benefit of the students, the faculty and the general public, the following high school directory is given:

Mr. A. L. Fentem, principal, 610 E. 9th, telephone 193.
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Mrs. Ben S. Tolbert, mathematics, So. Cherry, telephone 926-J.

Mrs. C. E. B. Cutler, English, 109 E. 17th, telephone 687.

Miss Geneva Ann Gordon, English, So. Francis, telephone 799.

Miss Ruby Gay, English and Spanish, 322 E. 13th, telephone 4755.

Mr. W. H. McAlister, history, Belmont.

Mrs. A. L. Bullock, history, 422 E. 9th, telephone 705.

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